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*Lt. Governor Bethany Hall-Long joins Senator Tom Carper, Sen. Chris Coons, Rep. Lisa Blunt Rochester and members of the Delaware Air National Guard for the groundbreaking of a new hangar in New Castle*

## Officials Celebrate the Groundbreaking of New Delaware Air National Guard Hangar

Last week, I joined Delaware's congressional delegation and members of the Delaware Air National Guard to break ground on what will become a new fuel cell and corrosion control hangar. The hangar will become a critical resource for the tactical airlift mission of the 166th Airlift Wing.

As the wife of a veteran and daughter of a Guardsman, I know how important

these investments are keeping our state and our nation safe. I applaud the work of Delaware's congressional delegation in securing \$17.5 million for the hangar, which is expected to be completed in 2025. The hangar will be a tremendous asset for the men and women of the Delaware Air National Guard who work tirelessly to defend and serve.

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## EXPANDED: Free Infant Formula Initiative

### FREE INFANT FORMULA

The State of Delaware has partnered with Donat Delaware to distribute **canisters of Care infant formula**



### FÓRMULA INFANTIL GRATUITA

El estado de Delaware se a unido a Donat Delaware para distribuir **botes de fórmula infantil de Care**.



**WHAT:** FREE infant formula. Care infant formula is similar to Similac. To see a full list of ingredients, go to [Itgov.delaware.gov/formula](https://itgov.delaware.gov/formula)

**WHERE:** Food Bank of Delaware, Boys & Girls Clubs of Delaware, and local community organizations serve as pick-up locations. Updated list here: [Itgov.delaware.gov/formula](https://itgov.delaware.gov/formula)

**HOW:** To receive formula, you must show **proof of Delaware residency** with a State of Delaware-issued photo ID, a government-issued ID, **OR** piece of mail or billing statement with a Delaware address.

Learn more at [itgov.delaware.gov/formula](https://itgov.delaware.gov/formula)

**QUE:** Fórmula infantil GRATUITA. La fórmula infantil de Care es parecida a Similac. Para ver una lista de ingredientes haz clic aquí: [Itgov.delaware.gov/formula](https://itgov.delaware.gov/formula)

**DONDE:** Food Bank de Delaware, Boys & Girls Club de Delaware, y organizaciones comunitarias locales servirán como lugares de recogida. Lista actualizada: [Itgov.delaware.gov/formula](https://itgov.delaware.gov/formula)

**COMO:** Para recibir fórmula, tendrá que mostrar **prueba de residencia en Delaware** con identificación con foto emitida por el estado, identificación emitida por el gobierno, o un correo o estado de cuenta con una dirección en Delaware.

Aprende mas [itgov.delaware.gov/formula](https://itgov.delaware.gov/formula)

Families are grappling with a lot of stressors, and for many the rising cost of living is make or break. Knowing where to get access to quality baby formula shouldn't contribute to that stress.

Earlier this week, my office announced the expansion of the [free infant formula initiative](#) to further help families in need. Delaware families with children under the age of one can now receive multiple canisters of Care A2+ infant formula, a brand similar to Similac. Thank you to all of our partners including Donat Delaware, Food Bank of Delaware, Boys & Girls Club of Delaware, Delaware Division of Public Health, Highmark Blue Cross Blue Shield Delaware, Bank of America and many more.

Click the link below to find out where to get your free baby formula.

Find a Location

## Commemorating Venezuelan

# Independence Day



This year marks the 212th year of Venezuela's independence, celebrating the vibrant culture and history of Venezuelans in Delaware and abroad. I recently had the honor of joining Sen. Sarah McBride, Sen. Spiros Mantzavinos, Casa de Venezuela, and the Delaware Hispanic Commission to host a proclamation signing commemorating Venezuelan Independence Day.

Delaware is stronger for our commitment to embracing diversity and our commitment to celebrating the extraordinary cultures that exist within our state. Thank you to all who joined us in commemorating Venezuela's Independence Day and to our Venezuelan neighbors who help our state thrive.

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## Honoring a Life of Service



I recently had the pleasure to present a tribute to Ms. Addie M. Cole in recognition of her service and contributions to the state of Delaware.

Addie has been a lifelong activist fighting for equal opportunities for African Americans living in Wilmington and has dedicated her life to strengthening her community. She marched for the Fair Housing Act of 1953 and was one of the first African Americans enrolled at the University of Delaware. Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Epsilon Rho Zeta Chapter, of which Ms. Cole has been a member since 1982, recently named their Continuing Education Scholarship in honor of her achievements.

Ms. Cole empowers women through her tireless commitment and dedication to the needs of her community, and it was a pleasure to honor her service with those who know and love her most. We join the community in extending to her our best wishes and gratitude.

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## Renewing Your Medicaid Coverage

# DON'T RISK A GAP IN YOUR MEDICAID COVERAGE



As a nurse, I know how important it is to have access to healthcare for you and your loved ones. Please take note - if you're currently enrolled in Medicaid or CHIP, be ready to renew your coverage.

Visit [de.gov/medicaidrenewals](https://de.gov/medicaidrenewals) for more information and resources.



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